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Independence Day Holiday
Monday, July 4

City Offices, Libraries, Recreation Centers, and Senior Centers will be closed.

Residential garbage, recycling, and brush will be collected on the regular Tuesday-Friday schedule.

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Garland Swears In Two New Council Members, Three Incumbents

The Garland City Council has two new members, following the May municipal election. Lori Barnett Dodson now represents Council District 6, and Jim Cahill now represents Council District 8.

Mayor Ronald E. Jones ran unopposed and is now serving his third and final term. In District 3, Preston Edwards also ran unopposed for his third and final term, as did District 7 Council member Rick Williams.

The Garland City Charter limits the Mayor and City Council members to three consecutive two-year terms.

All five were sworn in during a special meeting on May 23.

All citizens are encouraged to attend Council meetings and be involved in the local government process. City Council agendas

are posted to the City of Garland website, www.GarlandTx.gov. Citizens may also watch City Council meetings on the City's

Government Access Cable channel or by video streaming available on the City's website.



Ronald E. Jones is sworn into office for his third and final term as Mayor by his son Ronald E. Jones, Jr. Joining them at the podium are his wife Peggy and son Daryl and his wife, along with five of the Mayor's eight grandchildren.



Preston Edwards, District 3 City Council member, is sworn into office for his third and final term by his wife Shirley. Joining them at the podium are son Kevin Edwards and daughter and granddaughter Sherri and Sadie Beal.



As her parents, Bob and Jerra Barnett, watch, newly elected District 6 City Council member Lori Barnett Dodson is sworn into office by retiring District 6 Council representative Barbara Chick.



District 7 City Council member Rick Williams is sworn into office for his third and final term by his wife Janet.



District 8 City Council representative Jim Cahill is sworn into office by his wife Carol. Joining them are Jim's brother Greg and Barbara Cahill, his parents Richard and Gene Cahill, and his sons Joshua and Michael Cahill.

Stage 1 Drought Response Declared

On April 19, 2011, at the request of the North Texas Municipal Water District (NTMWD), Garland city officials declared Stage 1 Drought Response measures in effect. Under Stage 1, the city will increase education efforts to reduce water use, and urge residents to detect and repair water leaks around the house. Garland residents are requested to voluntarily practice water conservation, minimize or discontinue water use for nonessential purposes, and voluntarily follow the designated landscape watering schedule:

- Even-numbered street addresses water on Sundays and Thursdays;
- Odd-numbered street addresses water on Saturdays and Wednesdays;
- Town homes and businesses having a common irrigation system water on Mondays and Fridays; and

- Apartments use the address of the business office for the property.
- NTMWD initiated Stage 1 of the *NTMWD Water Conservation and Drought Contingency and Water Emergency Response Plan* as a result of finding invasive zebra mussels in Lake Texoma and the temporary loss of the Lake Texoma raw water supply by NTMWD.
- While zebra mussels are not harmful to humans, they do attach to water facilities and pipes causing millions of dollars in

maintenance costs. NTMWD has and will continue to collaborate with federal and state regulatory agencies to develop a strategy to minimize the transport of zebra mussels into the Trinity River basin.

For more information regarding the City of Garland Water Conservation Ordinances and the Stage 1 Drought Response declaration, visit www.garlandwater.com.

Old Fire Station Site Redeveloped into Housing

Seizing another opportunity to invest in the community, Housing and Neighborhood Services (HNS) has developed two new single-family homes on the property vacated by the relocation of Fire Station No. 3, formerly on Bobbie Lane in West Garland. Both of the HOME Infill projects were completed in early May, with one of the properties already sold to an excited first-time homebuyer.

HOME Infill is a program that enables HNS to develop residential properties on vacant lots throughout the city. HOME projects are designed to fit in with the character of the neighborhood while also increasing property and aesthetic value.



Two District 6 representatives, newly-elected Lori Barnett Dodson and former Councilwoman Barbara Chick toured the houses with City staff.

GM Volts Arrive in Garland

Garland has been awarded grant funding through North Central Texas Council of Governments for partial acquisition of four GM Volt plug-in hybrid electric vehicles to add to the municipal fleet in 2011. The vehicles arrived in May and are on display before going to their home departments.

"The use of these vehicles will allow us to operate more efficiently and save money for the Garland taxpayer," said City Manager William E. Dollar. "At the same time, we will do our part to contribute to cleaner air and an improved physical environment."

The Volt is a plug-in hybrid electric vehicle and is the most fuel-efficient car with

an internal combustion engine sold in the United States, as rated by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

The EPA found the all-electric range averaged 35 miles, with an energy consumption of 36 kWh per 100 miles, and the total range (using battery power first then electricity generated by the on-board gasoline-power generator) is 379 miles. EPA rated the Volt's combined city/highway fuel economy at 93 miles per gallon gasoline equivalent in all-electric mode, and at 37 mpg in gasoline-only mode, for an overall fuel economy rating of 60 mpg combined.



To follow how these vehicles perform as they are rolled out into city fleets, contact Terry Anglin at tanglin@garlandtx.gov or David Jacobs at 972-205-2490 or djacobs@garlandtx.gov.

Crime Mapping System Made Available to Public

The Garland Police Department and CrimeReports, creators of the National Crime Map, have teamed up to bring Garland citizens answers to their most-asked questions throughout each year.

The Police Department frequently receives calls with questions about criminal

activities in an area where people either live, work or are considering for relocation. The information can now be accessed through CrimeReports.com.



Providing reliable and timely information to our citizens is one of the Police Department's top priorities. The public now is able to access the crime map 24 hours a day through the website. The new service also allows local citizens to sign up for free customizable email alerts in order to stay on top of crime in their neighborhood. Garland's law enforcement officials believe criminal activity can be reduced by giving the community easy access to this information. The site also includes a link to leave anonymous Crime Stopper Tips.

The Garland Police Department is joining more than 1,000 other law enforcement agencies of all sizes across North America in sharing their crime information with the public through the mapping system.

Fire Department Promotions

The Garland Fire Department would like to congratulate five firefighters for their recent promotions.

Captain Todd Peele has been promoted to Assistant Chief of EMS/Training. Kelly Miller will be taking over the duties of EMS and Training Battalion Chief.

Promoted to Captain, Billy Craven will be the officer in charge of Station 5 C-Shift. Driver Engineer Corey Johnson was promoted to Lieutenant and will be the new swing shift Lieutenant. Firefighter/

paramedic Adam Umphenour was promoted to Driver Engineer and is assigned to Ambulance 5.

"We are very proud of the hard work and dedication of these and of all of our firefighters," says Fire Chief Danny Grammer.



Message From The Mayor

I thank the citizens of Garland for allowing me to serve in my final term as Mayor of the City of Garland. This May, I began my third term as Mayor, and I am eagerly looking forward to the exciting opportunities coming to Garland. The Garland City Council will change in composition with the additions of Ms. Lori Dodson representing District 6 and Mr. Jim Cahill representing District 8. Council member Barbara Chick has served the residents of District 6 for the last six years and three consecutive terms. Because of the term limits, Ms. Chick is stepping down to pursue other passions. Barbara was the veteran of our City Council and her demeanor and leadership will be greatly missed. In addition to her dedication and commitment, she never missed a City Council meeting or work session during her tenure on the City Council. Council member Darren Lathen served the last four years and two terms on the City Council and has been a great asset to the leadership that is provided to the community each day. His sound advice and decision making skills were vital and we are very appreciative of his dedication and commitment to the city. We welcome Jim and



Mayor Ronald E. Jones
972-205-2400
mayor@GarlandTx.gov

Lori and look forward to a continued effective, professional and prolific council. In July, the City Council will meet for their annual retreat to discuss the upcoming budget and other measures aimed at maintaining a solid economic base for the city.

Also in May, I completed my term as President of the Metroplex Mayors Association. Serving as the leader of that organization for the last year has been a great opportunity to facilitate the efforts of north Texas mayors to maintain relationships and exchange information. I have been able to showcase some of the great things happening in Garland and the rest of the region with mayors and city managers from across north Texas. I am grateful for the confidence placed in me to lead that organization and I look forward to representing Garland for the next two years.

Mayor's Evening Out

Thursday, June 30
Audubon Recreation Center ~ 7-9 p.m.
342 West Outes Road

Mayor's Evening In

Thursday, July 28
Mayor's Office ~ 7-9 p.m.
City Hall, 200 North Fifth Street
To reserve a time slot, call 972-205-2471
or email edattomo@GarlandTx.gov

APEX TOOL GROUP: HAND TOOL MANUFACTURING POWERHOUSE

This is part of a series of business profiles based on visits by Mayor Ronald E. Jones to the top 100 businesses in Garland.

Apex Tool Group, formerly Danaher/Kingsley Tools is located at 3000 West Kingsley Road in Garland and is a mechanics' hand tool manufacturing powerhouse.

Apex Tool Group, LLC is a joint venture combining two premier tool manufacturers: Danaher Corporation's Tool Group and Cooper Industry's Tool Group. Together, the two businesses offer industrial, commercial, and do-it-yourself customers an unparalleled selection of more than 30 leading brands, including Allen®, Armstrong Tools®, Campbell®, Crescent®, GearWrench®, H.K. Porter®, Jacobs® Chuck, Jobox®, Lufkin®, Nicholson®, Plumb®, Sata®, Weller® and Wiss®. The company is dedicated to providing its customers with outstanding products, timely delivery, and customer service that is second to none. Apex Tool Group is committed to product innovation driven by listening to its customers and to continuous improvement in all functions of the business. Apex Tool Group,



headquartered in Sparks, Maryland, operates in more than 30 countries around the world, employs more than 7,000 people and has sales revenues exceeding \$1.2 billion.

Apex Tool Group segments the business by product type, in line with the organization structure used by management for making operating and investment decisions and for assessing performance. Apex Tool Group's three business segments include: hand tools, power tools, and professional electronic tools.

The Garland operation operates under the hand tools business segments and is a leading manufacturer of mechanics' hand tools including: sockets, accessories, ratchets, ratcheting wrenches and torque wrenches. Customers of the precuts include: Sears Craftsman®, Armstrong Tools®, Matco®, Allen®, NAPA®, and SATA®. The Garland plant employs approximately 500 employees and has been in operation under Danaher/Apex management since 1997.

Planning a Summer Garage Sale?

Don't forget your permit. It's free.
Call 972-485-6400
or go online to www.GarlandTX.gov Click on Citizen's Request Center



Do you have a lien against your property?



The City of Garland web site contains a listing of property owners with open abatement liens. Abatement liens are filed when a property owner fails to pay for work the City provided to take care of his/her property according to the City of Garland Code of Ordinances. This includes failure to mow, trim, clean, remove debris, repair, and such other miscellaneous work required for compliance with local code. These properties may be subject to further action.

The open abatement liens listing can be found on the City of Garland home page at:

www.GarlandTx.gov
(Click on Online Services)
972-205-2696

You may also check your property status with the Dallas County Clerk's Office at:
www.roamdallaspropertyrecords.com



Healthy You!
Healthy Earth!

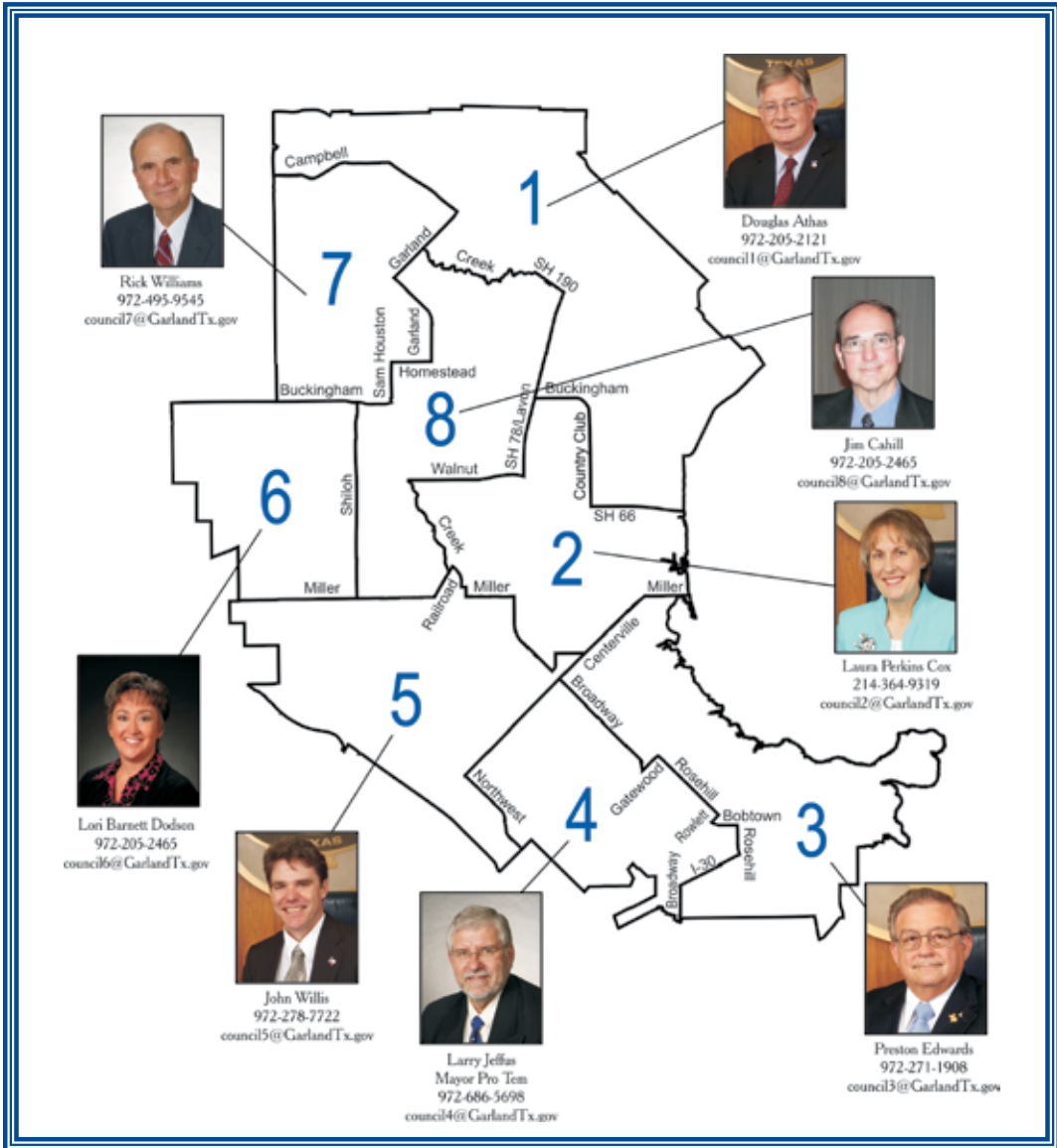
The Healthy Living Expo is coming!
Saturday, September 24 – 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
GISD Special Events Center
4999 Naaman Forest Boulevard

Health screenings and immunizations ★ Entertainment and demonstrations
Environmental and conservation exhibits ★ NEW! – Safety exhibitors and demonstrations

Accepting Exhibitor Applications Now
972-205-3285
www.garlandgoesgreen.org

Free admission and parking
Hosts:
City of Garland
Baylor Medical Center at Garland
Garland Independent School District
Garland Chamber of Commerce

CITY COUNCIL DISTRICTS



GYC's Selected for Statewide Board

Two members of the Garland Youth Council have been selected to the Teens in the Driver Seat Teen Advisory Board. Teens in the Driver Seat (TDS) is a peer-to-peer safety program for young drivers, involving teens directly in developing and delivering driving safety messages.

The Teen Advisory Board members serve as ambassadors and leaders for the program, help organize TDS events and activities, and provide feedback and input for program materials, messages and goals.

Garland Youth Council members Mindy



Mindy Le

Le and Jessica Santibanez were selected to serve on the Teen Advisory Board. Mindy attends Garland High School and Jessica attends Naaman Forest High School. This is the third consecutive year that members of the Garland Youth Council have been appointed to the Teen Advisory Board.

For more information about Teens in the Driver Seat, visit t-driver.com. For more information about the Garland Youth Council, visit GarlandYouthCouncil.org.



Jessica Santibanez

Leadership Garland Class XXXI

The Garland Chamber of Commerce is now accepting applications for Class XXXI of Leadership Garland. The application form is available on the Chamber website, GarlandChamber.com.

The purpose of Leadership Garland is to provide corporate leadership training; to motivate and encourage civic leaders; and to develop personal leadership characteristics and skills within individuals. Participants are introduced to state, county and city officials, school board trustees and administrators,

community leaders, and community boards and commissions.

The deadline for applications is 3 p.m. on Friday, July 29, 2011. For more information about the program, call Jan Furtick, Executive Director, at 972-494-0616 or send email to thepaytongroup@verizon.net.

Minority/Woman-Owned Businesses

The goal of the City of Garland's Procurement Inclusion Program is to include minority and woman-owned suppliers in every segment of the City procurement process, affording them an opportunity, on a competitive basis, to be considered for and awarded City business.

Contact the Garland Purchasing Department at 972-205-2415 or email purchasing@GarlandTx.gov or logon to www.GarlandPurchasing.com.



Registered for CodeRED?

In the case of an emergency or urgent notification, the City of Garland can notify residents via telephone, email and text message through CodeRED. The system allows the City to alert citizens based on their home or business location. A pre-recorded message tells a live person or answering machine about the specific situation and if any action is necessary.

CodeRED also includes automated severe weather warnings, which will be launched as soon as the National Weather Service issues a warning (telephone only).

Whether you have already registered for CodeRED or are registering for the first time, you must "opt-in" for the automatic weather warnings. To do so, go to www.GarlandTx.gov, click on the CodeRED icon and follow the prompts. For citizens without internet access, registration forms are available at City Hall, the Duckworth Utility Services Building and all City Library branches.

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ANIMAL SERVICES NEWS

Animal Services News

The Garland Animal Shelter hosted its quarterly low cost registration/vaccination clinic on Saturday, April 30. More than 100 animals were registered and vaccinated for rabies, and an additional 71 animals received a DHPP vaccination. Twenty two animals were permanently marked with microchip implants. This was the second such event held at the Garland Animal Shelter and staff intends to schedule additional low cost clinics quarterly. The next low cost registration/vaccination clinic will be held Saturday, July 30, 2 to 4 p.m., at the Garland Animal Shelter, 600 Tower Drive. Visit www.garlandanimalservices.org for more information.



Senior Animal Service Officer

Senior Animal Service Officer Adrian Olivarez has been assigned to coordinate animal rescue activities for Garland Animal Services. Adrian will replace Luis Martinez. Thanks to Luis for the great work he’s done over the past eighteen months and we all look forward to continued success with Adrian.

Offsite Adoptions

Garland Pawsibilities began regular offsite adoption events at the former Fire Station located at 3136 South Shiloh Road, just south of Kingsley Road. An adoption event will be held on the first Saturday of each month, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Visit www.garlandpaws.org for more details and opportunities to contribute time or money to the volunteer effort.

Livestock At Large

Animal Service Officers have recently responded to multiple reports of livestock running at large within Garland. Loose livestock has resulted in at least two vehicular accidents and significant property damage. Generally, keeping livestock in residential neighborhoods is prohibited. Please help Garland Animal Services protect the community and public safety, not to mention livestock, by reporting any livestock observed in residential neighborhoods to Garland Animal Services.

Special Thanks

Animal Services would like to extend a special thank you to the citizens and organizations that have donated almost \$2,000 in January and February. All donations are used to sponsor animals for adoption or to provide care and comfort for animals.

Notable donations include: Luanne Payne - \$100; Petsmart - \$140; Richard Briley - \$400; Cecile Keating - \$80; Kathy Johnson - \$80; Ja Ann Peterson - \$80; Joyce Lahue - \$160; and Brian Love - \$80.

Severe Weather Awareness

Summertime in Garland brings warmer temperatures, beautiful foliage, and hazardous weather conditions. Potential summer hazards include severe thunderstorms that bring tornadoes and lightning, flooding, and strong winds and hailstorms. Pre-planning for safety is essential. The City of Garland Office of Emergency Management would like to offer a few tips for how to stay prepared for the many hazards associated with severe weather.



One of the most effective ways of knowing what is happening in your area is to purchase a NOAA all hazards weather radio. NOAA Weather Radio (NWR) broadcasts National Weather Service warnings, watches, forecasts and other hazard information 24 hours a day. NWR also broadcasts warning and post-event information for all types of hazards, both natural and environmental (such as chemical releases or oil spills). The Dallas County Radio Frequency is 162.400. Weather radios can be purchased at most general merchandise stores (Wal-Mart, Target, Radio Shack, etc.) for around \$30.

The key to preparedness is having a plan. Listed below are steps to create and implement a family disaster plan.

Find out what types of disasters could occur in your area and how you should respond to each disaster. Learn about the warning signals and evacuation plans within the community. Research the disaster plans in your workplace, child’s school and other locations where your family spends time.

Determine the best escape routes from your room. Find safe spots in your home from threats such as a tornado. Pick two places to meet: directly outside your home for sudden emergencies, like fire, and outside the neighborhood in case you cannot return home.

Show each family member how and when to turn off water, gas, and electricity at the main switches, and how to operate a fire extinguisher. Conduct a home hazard hunt to inspect your home for items that can move, fall, break or cause a fire. Take corrective actions for any hazard that you discover.

Families should also gather supplies and prepare a disaster supplies kit. The kit should include enough supplies to meet individual and family needs for at least three days (72 hours). Keep the items that you would most likely need during a disaster in an easy-to-carry, water-resistant container, such as a storage container, duffle bag or backpack. It is also a good idea to keep a smaller disaster supply kit in the trunk of your car.

At a minimum, your disaster supply kit should include:

- * A three-day supply of water (one gallon per person, per day).
- * A three-day supply of non-perishable food. Select foods that require no refrigeration, preparation, or cooking and use little or no water.
- * A first aid kit, including over the counter medicines and any prescription medicines that you may be taking. (Make sure to ask your physician or pharmacist about properly storing your prescription medications.)
- * One change of clothing and footwear per person and one blanket per person.
- * Emergency tools, including a battery-powered radio, flashlight and plenty of extra batteries. Emergency supplies including cash and an extra set of keys.
- * Special items that may be required for infants, elderly, or disabled family members. Important family documents such as a will, insurance policy, and real estate documents, or other important records should be kept in a waterproof, portable container.

For more information about personal preparedness, visit our website at Garland-OEM.com or call 972-781-7222.

Resident Opinion Survey

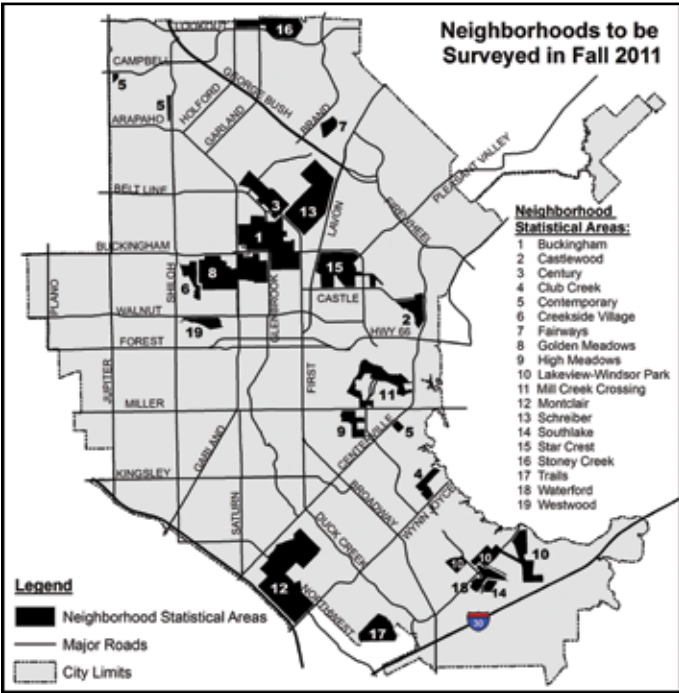
As part of the Neighborhood Benchmarking Program, the City of Garland is in the early planning stages for the Resident Opinion Survey, which will be conducted in 19 neighborhoods during the fall. Surveys will be mailed to a random selection of residents within these neighborhoods. Citizen participation is essential to help local officials identify and meet neighborhood needs. It also enables local officials to understand the dynamics of each neighborhood and assist in connecting neighborhoods with resources necessary to address their needs.

The map featured at right illustrates the neighborhoods that will be surveyed this fall. Some neighborhoods and subdivision phases where home construction has recently been completed in the last five years may also be included in this year’s survey.

In July, the City will contact Neighborhood Association and Homeowner Association presidents registered with the City of Garland with additional details about the survey. Associations

will also have the opportunity to include an additional page of questions they would like to ask residents in their neighborhood. Including additional questions enables associations to identify neighborhood issues and goals, as well as assist in the development of short- and long-term programs for the neighborhood.

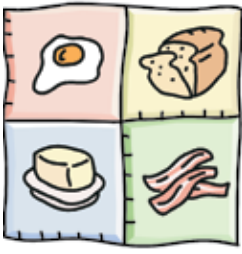
For additional information, call the Department of Organizational Development at 972-205-2511.



SNP: Have Fun Through Educaton, Exercise, and Eating Right!

For many children, summer vacation means eating junk food, watching TV and playing video games. The City of Garland, however, offers a new way to have fun through the “Three E’s” (Education, Exercise, and Eating right) with its Summer Nutrition Program from June 6 to August 5, 2011.

Sponsored by the Texas Department of Agriculture and Garland’s Office of Fair Housing, the Summer Nutrition Program (SNP) includes various sites throughout Garland which offer free meals on weekdays. Lunches alternate between hot and cold entrees, while cold breakfast is offered at selected sites. The meals are nutritionally compliant with state regulations, and ensure that children receive healthy meals during the summer months. Last year alone, Garland SNP served more than 61,000 lunches and 11,000 breakfasts.



Aside from proper diet, Garland SNP strives to make sure that children remain both physically and mentally active. Many sites have games which utilize exercise as well as activities which encourage children to think, learn, and recall information learned during the previous school year. This year will also be Garland’s inaugural city-wide SNP spelling bee!



Garland SNP activities are open to children up to 18 years old, and require no proof of income status. (Parents must accompany all elementary school-aged children.) People over the age of 18, who are currently enrolled in school programs for people with disabilities, may also participate.

For more information regarding the food, locations, activities, people, or mission of Garland SNP, please Google “Garland SNP” or call 972-205-3335.

Garland Employees Set Goal for the 2011 United Way Campaign

The past two years have presented great challenges for all Americans. City of Garland employees have proven that they are willing to help by giving, advocating, and volunteering through the United Way.

In the 2010 campaign, Garland employees surpassed the \$80,000 fundraising goal, and increased donations by 9.6% over 2009. The average donation of \$210.36 represents a 2.37% increase over 2009 with 27 of 31 departments participating. Leadership givers increased by 8% donating \$33,234, an increase of 11.35% over last year.

For the 2011 campaign, the Garland steering committee has set a fundraising goal of \$85,000. The 2011 United Way Campaign theme is “Uniting to Serve and Support Our Community.” The City of Garland will kick off its campaign on September 28 and it will run through October 14.



United Way CEO, Gary Godsey, accepts the COG check from the Mayor and steering committee during the February City Council meeting.

Police Impounded Vehicle Auctions

Auctions for Police impounded vehicles are scheduled for the third Friday of each month at the City Impound Lot, 1630 Commerce Street. Gates open at 8:30 a.m. and the auction begins at 9:30 a.m. Vehicles must be removed from the lot by noon the following Monday. All vehicles will be sold for cash to the highest bidder without warranty or guarantees and are offered as/ where is. Auctions may be cancelled without notice. Call 972-205-2415 for further information or visit www.GarlandTx.gov or www.joepippinauctioneers.com.

Look for bicycles at www.govdeals.com or www.publicsurplus.com.

Fraud, Waste, and Abuse Prevention

The City of Garland is committed to the prevention of fraud, waste, and abuse.

Report anonymously fraud, waste, and abuse of City resources 24 hours a day.

972-205-2739

www.GarlandTx.gov

Bookmark it and visit regularly for the latest city government news and information.

Garland City Council Meetings

The Garland City Council meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 7 p.m. in the Council Chamber, 200 North Fifth Street. Meetings are broadcast live on CGTV, the City’s government access channel on cable television, with several rebroadcasts during the week following each meeting. On Council meeting days, a City Council member briefly discusses agenda items on CGTV at 3, 4, 5 and 6 p.m.

Work Sessions are normally held the Monday before Council meetings in the Work Session Room, first floor, City Hall, 200 North Fifth Street. Specific items and dates are posted outside City Hall on Friday before the scheduled meeting. Work Sessions are also televised live with rebroadcasts during the week.

Watch the City website, www.GarlandTx.gov, Time Warner Cable Channel 16, or Verizon FIOS Channel 44 for meeting schedule updates.

TV Listings ~ CGTV

Meeting dates subject to change

City Council Meetings
Live Broadcast - 7 p.m.
June 7 and 21, July 5 and 19
Rebroadcast following the meeting
Wednesday - 9 a.m., Friday - 7 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday - 9 a.m. and 7 p.m.

City Council Work Sessions
Live Broadcast, 6 p.m.
June 6 and 20, July 5 and 18
Rebroadcast following the Monday meeting
Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday - 9 a.m.
Wednesday and Thursday - 7 p.m.

Crime Watch
Daily 3 and 6:30 p.m.

Garland In Focus
Daily 5:30 a.m., 8 a.m., and 6 p.m.

Living in Garland
Daily 7 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Plan Commission
Live Broadcast, 7 p.m.
June 13 and 27, July 11 and 25
Rebroadcast following the Monday meeting
Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday - 9 a.m.

Billboard - Daily
Daily Schedule posted on City of Garland website
www.GarlandTx.gov

CITY OF GARLAND WINS ENVIRONMENTAL AWARDS, GRANT

Code Inspector Wins State Award

Oswaldo Rodriguez, Field Supervisor in the City of Garland Code Compliance Department, is being recognized by Keep Texas Beautiful as the winner of the 2011 Ed Davis Litter Law Enforcement Award. This award recognizes an individual law enforcement professional who goes above and beyond the call of duty in their approach to the enforcement of environmental laws and regulations.

In 2006 Mr. Rodriguez introduced the concept of “Code Cares,” a program that serves citizens facing hardships, primarily focusing on Garland’s elderly and disabled. The program offers voluntary assistance to qualifying residents to help them maintain their properties. The entire Code Compliance Department is behind this program, with many employees volunteering their time on weekends to mow, prune, cut trees, raise fences, paint and remove trash. Several church and civic organizations have volunteered to participate in the program.



Glenna Brown, Environmental Waste Services Staff Liaison for Keep Garland Beautiful, congratulates Os Rodriguez for winning the Keep Texas Beautiful Ed Davis Litter Law Enforcement Award

Governor’s Award

The City of Garland is the third place winner in the prestigious Governor’s Community Achievement Award that recognizes communities across the state with the best grassroots environmental programs.

Judging is based on population size and the efforts of the community to involve citizens, businesses, schools, local government and youth to keep their city beautiful. The GCAA program is sponsored by Keep Texas Beautiful and the Texas Department of Transportation.

Keep Garland Beautiful, under the leadership of Betty Roberts, President, submitted the award on behalf of the City. The award highlighted Green101 education classes sponsored by the Stormwater, Water Utilities and Environmental Waste Services Departments, the Healthy You, Healthy Earth Expo and Keep Garland Beautiful’s landscaping project at Rick Oden Park.

Video Wins State Recognition

The “Race to Save Space” video created by the City of Garland Public and Media Affairs and Environmental Waste Services Departments is being honored with a first place win in the Keep Texas Beautiful Electronic Media Award category. Awards will be presented on June 23 in Austin at the 44th Annual Keep Texas Beautiful Conference.

The 5-minute video and two educational utility bill inserts were created in 2010 to educate City residents on proper set out of tree trimmings and other brush, the

importance of saving landfill space by diverting brush to the city’s Wood Recycling Facility, and the fact that clean brush is turned into mulch and provided to Garland residents for free. The video featured two actors with Garland ties: Paula Breysacher, Public Education Specialist in the Stormwater Management Department, and her 10 year old son.



Jim Harmon, Video Producer in Garland’s Office of Public and Media Affairs, puts the final editing touches on the “Race to Save Space” video.

EWS Wins TERP Grant

Environmental Waste Services was recently awarded a \$161,000 grant from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality. These grant funds, made available through TCEQ’s Texas Emissions Reduction Plan (TERP), will help offset the purchase costs of new vehicles equipped with technology that will reduce emissions of pollutants into the air. New and upgraded equipment pollutes less, improving the air quality in Texas.



Environmental Waste Services celebrated Earth Day on April 22 by sponsoring an electronics recycling and document shredding event. The event netted 4.42 tons of used computers, televisions, batteries, cell phones and other electronic equipment, and more than 4 tons of documents and paper were brought in for secure shredding.

Transfer Station to Close

The City of Garland Transfer Station, located at 1434 Commerce Street, will close for structural repairs and will not accept any solid waste as of June 6. The facility is scheduled to re-open on August 1.

During the two-month closure of this facility, Garland residents may dispose of solid waste at no cost at the C.M. Hinton Jr. Regional Landfill, located at 3175 Elm Grove Road in Rowlett. Residents must present to the gate attendant a driver’s license or current utility bill as proof of Garland residency. The C.M. Hinton Landfill operating hours are Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Saturday, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

For more information about the facility closure or items accepted for disposal, visit

www.garlandenvironmentalwaste.com or call 972-205-3500.

Having a hard time fitting your car into your garage?

Look for these words on products in your home that you are no longer using: *caution, toxic, corrosive, poison, flammable, warning, or combustible.*

Please dispose of them at the Dallas County Home Chemical Collection Center located at 11234 Plano Road, Dallas, Texas. This is a free service for Garland residents. You will need to show your driver’s license and utility bill. Call 214-553-1765 for hours and additional information.



GARLAND POWER & LIGHT NAMED TREE LINE USA UTILITY

The Arbor Day Foundation has certified Garland Power & Light as a Tree Line USA Utility for practices that protect trees and other vegetation. The utility achieved the award the first year it applied.

“We have focused on both enhanced vegetation management and environmental sensitivity for a number of years,” said Transmission and Distribution Supervisor Jonas Whitehead. “This certification demonstrates our leadership in protecting trees while we meet our service objectives,” he added.

To achieve the accreditation, GP&L fulfilled several requirements, all of which

confirm GP&L’s support of the environment. These requirements include following industry standards for quality tree care; training employees in best tree-care practices; and having tree planting and public education programs.

Tree trimming guidelines, information on trees and shrubs that require less trimming, and GP&L’s vegetation standards are available at www.garlandpower-light.org.

Paint Tips To Prevent Water Pollution

Washing a paint brush or dumping rinse water in a driveway or street allows toxic chemicals to flow into the storm drain system. This water does not get treated before reaching our local streams, creeks, and lakes. Follow these simple tips to prevent water pollution:

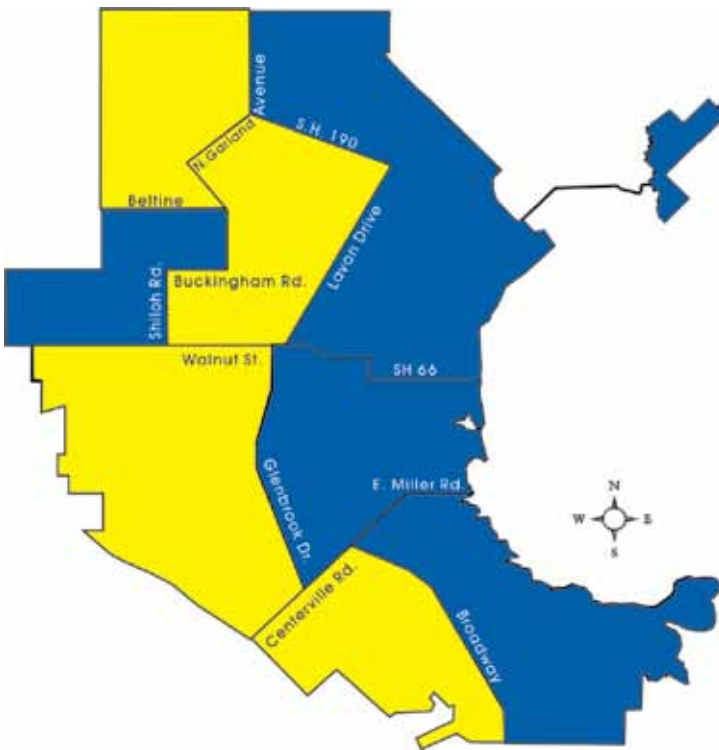
- Clean paint brushes in a sink, not outdoors.
- For oil-based paints, brush out as much paint as possible, clean with thinner, filter and reuse thinner or solvent.
- Choose water-based paint over oil-based paints when painting since it is less toxic.
- Calculate the amount of paint you will need by accurately measuring the area to be painted. A worksheet for paint calculation can be found at: http://www.dcf.org/hhw/Estimating_Paint.pdf.
- Donate leftover paint to an organization that can use it.
- Excess paint, thinners, solvents, saturated rags, empty aerosol cans, lead paint chips and chemical paint stripping residue are hazardous waste and should be taken to the Dallas County Home Chemical Collection Center.



Jimmy Foster and Jonas Whitehead display the Tree Line USA Utility flag that was presented to GP&L at the 122nd State Arbor Day Ceremony in Pearland, Texas.

Every-Other-Week Recycling Schedule

July - December 2011



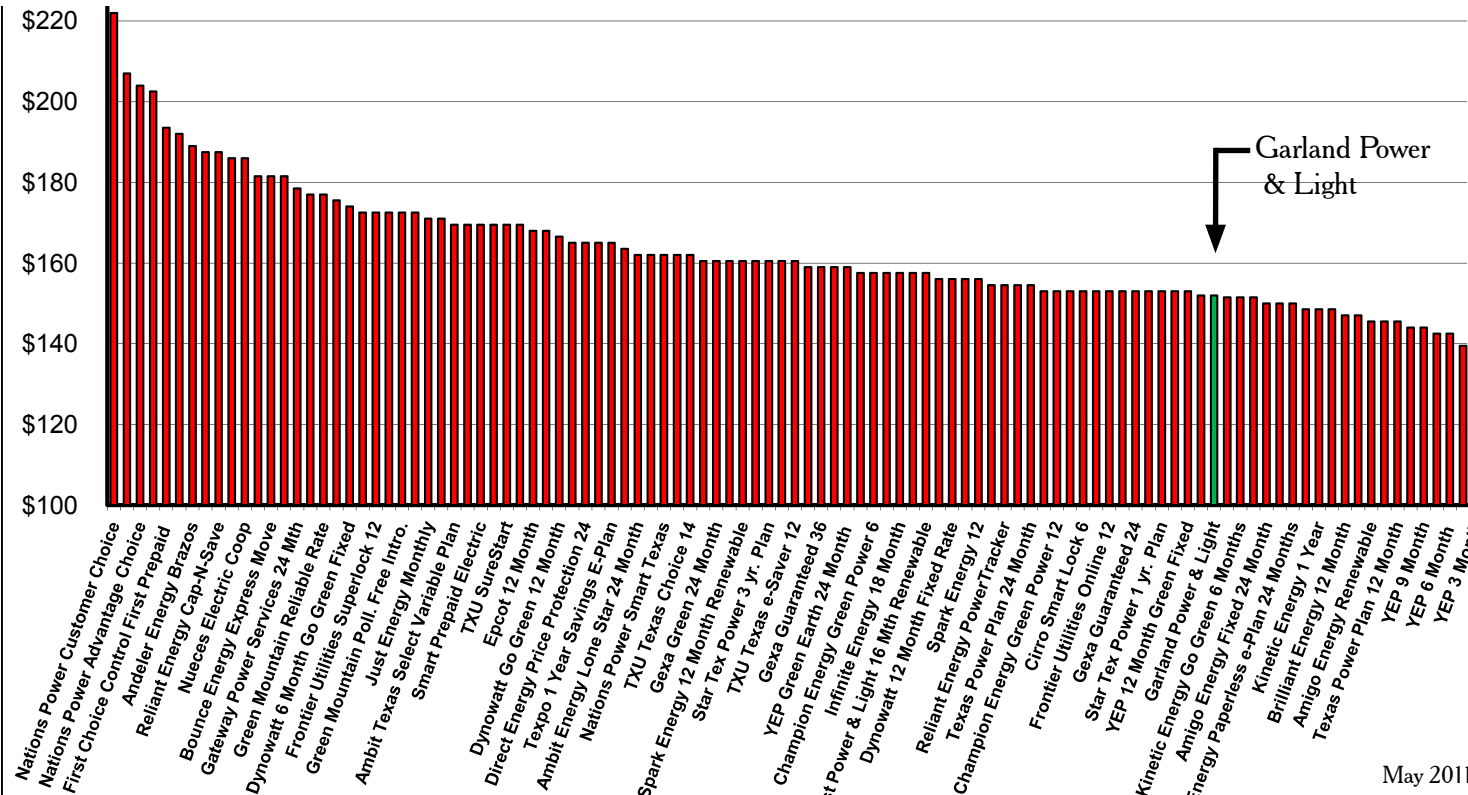
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1. Check the map at left to see if you live in a yellow area or a blue area.
2. Check the yellow and blue recycling weeks on the calendar above.
3. Set out recycling on your yellow or blue weeks on the same day as you set out your trash.

Garland Power & Light Residential Rate Comparison

Retail Electric Providers
Oncor Electric Delivery Service Area ~ 1500 kWh Usage



Our Goal – Great Service Help Us Help You

- Put trash and recycling containers out by 7 a.m. on collection day
- Bag trash to prevent litter and keep cart clean
- Keep cart lid closed and position cart with wheels toward house
- If you have multiple trash carts or recycle containers, place them side-by-side with four feet of space between them
- Recycle aluminum and steel cans, plastic bottles, glass bottles and jars, newspaper, advertising inserts and magazines (place paper products in separate container)
- Place brush in separate pile away from all other bulky waste
- Avoid placing containers or brush and bulky waste near stationary items such as mailbox, cable box or sprinkler heads, overhanging limbs; leave four feet between brush piles and containers
- Do not park vehicles in front of waste on collection day
- Call Customer Service for repair or replacement of trash carts or to request additional recycling bins



Continuing Our Commitment

We are once again proud to present to you our annual water quality report. This edition covers all testing completed from January 1 through December 31, 2010. Over the years, we have dedicated ourselves to delivering drinking water that meets all state and federal drinking water standards. Garland Water Utilities is a municipal water distribution and wastewater collection utility, owned by the City of Garland. Your City of Garland

Water Utility stores purchased water and delivers it to you on demand, tests the water to ensure quality, maintains the infrastructure (pipes and pumps) required to deliver water and remove wastewater, and treats and tests wastewater prior to releasing it back into the water source or selling it. Wholesale treated water is purchased from the North Texas Municipal Water District (NTMWD) and delivered to our ground and elevated storage tanks. From there, the water is delivered to customers through the City’s distribution system.

For more information about this report, or for any questions relating to your drinking water, please call 972-205-3285. Additional information can also be obtained from our website at www.garlandwater.com.

Community Participation

Garland Water Utilities is part of the City government. The Garland City Council meets the first and third Tuesday of each month beginning at 7 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chamber, 200 North Fifth Street. Meetings are broadcast live on CGTV, the city government access channel on cable television.

Español Este informe incluye información importante sobre el agua potable. Si tiene preguntas o comentarios sobre éste informe en español, favor de llamar al tel. 972-205-3213 para hablar con una persona bilingüe en español.



Important Health Information

You may be more vulnerable than the general population to certain microbial contaminants, such as cryptosporidium, in drinking water. Infants, some elderly or immuno-compromised persons such as those undergoing chemotherapy for cancer; those who have undergone organ transplants; those who are undergoing treatment with steroids; and people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders can be particularly at risk from infections. You should seek advice about drinking water from your physician or health care provider. Additional guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium are available from the U.S. EPA’s Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 800-426-4791.

Substances That Could Be in Water

To ensure that tap water is safe to drink, the U.S. EPA prescribes regulations limiting the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. The U.S. Food and Drug Administration regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water, which must provide the same protection for public health. Drinking water, including bottled water may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of these contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk.

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it can acquire naturally occurring minerals, in some cases, radioactive material; and substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity. Substances that may be present in source water include: Microbial Contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, or wildlife; Inorganic Contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally occurring or may result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming; Pesticides and Herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff, and residential uses; Organic Chemical Contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and which may also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff, and septic systems; Radioactive Contaminants, which can be naturally occurring or may be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

Contaminants may be found in drinking water that may cause taste, color, or odor problems. These types of problems are not necessarily causes for health concerns. For more information on taste, odor, or color of drinking water, please contact our business office. For more information about contaminants and potential health effects, call the U.S. EPA’s Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 800-426-4791.

Where Does My Water Come From?

The North Texas Municipal Water District (NTMWD) uses surface water from five sources; Lavon Lake, Jim Chapman Lake (formerly known as Cooper Lake), Lake Texoma, Lake Tawakoni and the East Fork Raw Water Supply, commonly known as the “Wetland,” with Lavon Lake being the primary raw water source. NTMWD conducts daily tests on both the raw water in Lake Lavon and the treated water they deliver to the City of Garland. The treated water is stored in eight ground storage tanks, two elevated storage tanks and 1,110 miles of pipe network owned and operated by the City of Garland Water Utilities. A centralized water control system and customer call center with on-call maintenance provides service delivery 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year, bringing an abundant supply of safe, high quality, potable water to all of our customers.



Source Water Assessment

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has completed a Source Water Susceptibility Report for all drinking water systems that own their sources. This report describes the susceptibility and types of constituents that may come into contact with the drinking water source based on human activities and natural conditions. NTMWD received the assessment report. For more information on source water assessments and protection efforts at our system, call 972-205-3285 to inquire about obtaining a copy of this assessment.

Cryptosporidium in Water

Our water supplier, North Texas Municipal Water District has tested the lake water and treated water for the presence of cryptosporidium for several years. It has been absent in all of the samples tested.

Cryptosporidium is a protozoan that is so small it can be seen only with a microscope. It affects the digestive tract of humans and animals. At this time, there is no specific drug therapy proven to be effective, but people with healthy immune systems will usually recover within two weeks. Symptoms of infection include nausea, diarrhea and abdominal cramps. However, immuno-compromised people are at a greater risk of developing life-threatening illness. We encourage immuno-compromised individuals to consult their doctor regarding appropriate precaution to take to avoid infection. Cryptosporidium must be ingested to cause disease, and it may be spread through means other than drinking water.

What are the City Ordinances regarding lawn irrigation?

The City’s water conservation plan prohibits:

- Watering a lawn or landscape between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m., except for hand watering or using soaker hoses;
- Watering impervious surfaces (such as sidewalks or streets) or watering to the extent that there is overflow on a street or drainage area;
- Watering during any form of precipitation (including snow);
- Operating a lawn or landscape irrigation system that has broken or missing heads, or has not been properly maintained in such a way as to prevent waste of water.

Lead/Copper Reporting

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The City of Garland Water Department is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at www.epa.gov/safewater/lead.

How can I conserve water?

Water conservation is critical for meeting the state’s long-term water needs. Here are ways to conserve water and reduce water bills:

- Dripping faucets waste water. Fix leaky faucets and toilets promptly.
- Turn off the faucet while you brush your teeth or shave; save about 4 gallons a day.
- Take short - 5 minute showers.
- Make sure your washing machine or dishwasher is full before you start it.
- Water your lawn early in the morning or late at night, and only when you need to.
- Wash your car at a commercial car wash that recycles water.
- Don’t wash sidewalks and driveways -- sweep them with a broom instead.
- To check for hidden leaks, turn off all taps and water-using appliances. Then check your water meter after 15 minutes. If it’s still moving, you have a leak.

Sampling Results

During the past year we have taken hundreds of water samples in order to determine the presence of any radioactive, biological, inorganic, volatile organic or synthetic organic contaminants. The table below shows only those contaminants that were detected in the water. The state allows us to monitor for certain substances less than once per year because the concentrations of those substances do not change frequently. In these cases, the most recent sample data are included, along with the year in which the sample was taken.

REGULATED SUBSTANCES							
Substance (Unit of Measure)	Year Sampled	MCL [MRDL]	MCLG [MRDLG]	Amount Detected	Range Low-High	Violation	Typical Source
Atrazine (ppb)	2010	3	3	0.1	0.1 - 0.24	No	Runoff from herbicide used on row crops
Simazine (ppb)	2010	4	4	0.07	0.07-0.08	No	
Barium (ppm)	2010	2	2	0.04	0.03 - 0.08	No	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
Chloramines (ppm)	2010	[4]	[4]	3.21	0.5 - 3.9	No	Water additive used to control microbes
Chlorine Dioxide (ppm)	2010	800	800	0.00	0.00	No	Water additive used to control microbes
Chlorite (ppm)	2010	1	NA	0.33	0.01 - 0.75	No	By-product of drinking water disinfection
Fluoride (ppm)	2010	4	4	0.58	0.51 - 0.64	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Haloacetic Acids [HAA] (ppb)	2010	60	NA	18.56	7.3 - 43.1	No	By-product of drinking water disinfection
Nitrate (ppm)	2010	10	10	0.26	0.07 - 0.51	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits
TTHMs [Total Trihalomethanes] (ppb)	2010	80	NA	39.34	18.9 - 73.2	No	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Turbidity ¹ (NTU)	2010	TT	NA	0.26	0.09 - 0.50	No	Soil runoff
Total Coliform Bacteria	2010	5% positive samples	0	1.7	NA	No	Naturally present in the environment

Tap water samples were collected for lead and copper analysis from sample sites throughout the community.

Substance (Unit of Measure)	Year Sampled	AL	MCLG	Amount Detected (90th%tile)	Sites Above AL/Total Sites	Violation	Typical Source
Copper (ppm)	2010	1.3	1.3	1.0	0/50	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives
Lead (ppb)	2010	15	0	1.8	0/50	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits

Substance (Unit of Measure)	Year Sampled	Units	Range	Highest Average Sample Point	Typical Source
Gross Beta	2010	mrem/yr	4.4	4.4	Decay of natural and manmade deposits

Unregulated Contaminants

Unregulated contaminants are those for which the U.S. EPA has not established drinking water standards. The purpose of unregulated contaminant monitoring is to assist the U.S. EPA in determining the occurrence of unregulated contaminants in drinking water and whether future regulation is warranted. Any unregulated contaminants detected are reported in the following table. For additional information and data, visit <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/ucmr/ucmr2/index.html>, or call the Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 800-426-4791.

UNREGULATED SUBSTANCES				
Substance (Unit of Measure)	Year Sampled	Amount Detected	Range Low-High	Typical Source
Bromodichloromethane (ppb)	2010	14.24	4.6 – 22.6	By-product of drinking water disinfection
Bromoform (ppb)	2010	1.04	1.0 – 1.4	By-product of drinking water disinfection.
Chloroform (ppb)	2010	17.54	11.9 - 42.0	By-product of drinking water disinfection.
Dibromochloromethane (ppb)	2010	7.34	1.3 – 9.6	By-product of drinking water disinfection

¹ Turbidity is a measure of the cloudiness of the water. It is monitored because it is a good indicator of water quality and the effectiveness of disinfectants.

Table Definitions

AL (Action Level): The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

MCL (Maximum Contaminant Level): The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

MCLG (Maximum Contaminant Level Goal): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

MRDL (Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level): The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.

MRDLG (Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal): The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.

ND (Not detected): Indicates that the substance was not found by laboratory analysis.

NTU (Nephelometric Turbidity Units): Measurement of the clarity, or turbidity, of water. Turbidity in excess of 5 NTU is just noticeable to the average person.

ppm (parts per million): One part substance per million parts water (or milligrams per liter).

TT (Treatment Technique): A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

Conserve Electrcity During the Hot Summer Months

Even though it’s hot outside, you can manage your electric bill by taking steps to be more energy efficient in your home.

These steps include:

- * Cleaning or replacing filters for your cooling/heating system at least once a month. Dirty filters will make your system work harder and run longer than necessary.
- * Setting your thermostat to 78° when it is hot. Each degree cooler will increase your energy usage by 6-8%.
- * Blowing fans directly on you to make temperatures feel up to 4° cooler.
- * Turning off unneeded lights even when leaving a room for a short time. Lights generate heat and account for about 10% of your electrical use.

- * Applying tinted films to windows to block out 40% to 60% of sunshine and heat. “Conserving electricity and weatherproofing your home will definitely save on how much it costs to keep your home comfortable in the summer,” says Energy Efficiency Program Manager David Koliba. “Some weatherization steps require an initial investment, but they pay off in the long run when less electricity is used.”

For more energy conservation tips and online energy efficiency services, visit www.garlandpower-light.org.



COMMUNITY/ARTS

GSM Presents Music Man and CATS

The Garland Summer Musicals will present Meredith Willson's musical theatre classic *The Music Man* in June, followed by Andrew Lloyd Webber's Broadway spectacular *CATS* in July.

All performances will be held in the Brownlee Auditorium of the Granville Arts Center, Fifth and Austin Streets in downtown Garland. Tickets are available at the Arts Center Box Office or by calling 972-205-2790. MasterCard, Visa and Discover are accepted.



Performances for *The Music Man* are set for June 17, 18, 24, and 25 at 8 p.m. with 2:30 p.m. matinees on June 19 and 26.

The production follows fast talking traveling salesman Harold Hill as he cons the people of River City, Iowa into buying instruments and uniforms for a boys' band he vows to organize. His plans to skip town with the cash are foiled when he falls for Marian the Librarian. Musical highlights include: *Till There Was You*; *Goodnight, My Someone*; *Wells Fargo Wagon*; *Lida Rose*; *Gary, Indiana*; *Seventy Six Trombones*; *Ya Got Trouble*; and more.

Stan Graner will be featured as Harold Hill and Jacquelyn Lengfelder will portray Marian the Librarian. Other major roles include: Nella Phillips as Mrs. Paroo; James Williams as Mayor Shinn; Melissa Tucker as Eulalie Shinn; Marty Scott as Marcellus; Liam Taylor as Winthrop Paroo; Stephen Raikes as Tommy; Jill Nicholas as Zaneeta Shinn and Don Long as Charlie Cowell. Brad Smith, Larry Smith, Dennis Gullion and Steve Beene will be the barbershop quartet that is featured throughout the show and the *Pick A Little Ladies* will be Elise Libbers, Linda Frank, Christia Caudle and Delynda Moravec. Others featured are: Mary Carolyn Sloan as Amaryllis; Lindsey Hines as Gracie; Mark Mullings as the Constable; and Julie Mullings as Mrs. Britt.

Dancers include Tanner Murray, Basit Shittu, David Helms, Randall Scott Carpenter, Travis Kern, Cesar Van Cleave, Hayley Ewerz, Stephanie Butler, Maranda Harrison, Colleen LeBleu, Traci Kern, and Katie Nicholas.

Vocal ensemble includes Mikey Abrams, Joseph Holt, Garrett Henderson, Drew Feldman, Kyle Kelesoma, Caren Sharpe-Herbst, Jennifer Cowan, Morgan McDorman, Lindsey Crawford, and Rachel Ragan. Additional youth cast members include Trenton Crider, Symphony Hanrahan, and Nicole Low.

Musical direction for *Music Man* is by Jeff Crouse and choreography will be by Jeremy Dumont.



Performances of *CATS* are set for July 22, 23, 29, and 30 at 8 p.m., and July 24 and 31 at 2:30 p.m. *CATS* is a lyrical setting of T.S. Eliot's whimsical collection of poetry. The characters are larger than life felines inhabiting a junkyard where one of them will be chosen for rebirth. *CATS* is one of the most dazzlingly theatrical musicals ever created. The musical score is extraordinary and includes: *Memory*; *Jellicle Cats*; *Old Deuteronomy*; *Mr. Mistoffelees*; and *The Moments of Happiness*.

The cast includes: C. Nicholas Morris as Munkustrap; LaMar Brown as Mistoffelees; Shane Strawbridge as Old Deuteronomy; Daniel Saroni as Rum Tum Tugger; Lana Whittington as Rumpelteazer; Stephen Raikes as Mungojerrie; Jennifer Obeney as Jellylorum; Christine Phelan as Demeter; Taylor McKie as Bombalurina; Michelle Rene Brown as Victoria; Darius-Anthony Robinson as Skimbleshanks; Maija Johnson as Jennyanydots; Victoria Dolph as Cassandra; Jana Kelly Landin as Tantomile; Krishma Trejo as Sillabub; Ashlyn Nichols as Electra; Kyle Kelesoma as Bustopher Jones; Carter Odell as Alonzo; Colleen LeBleu as Etcetera; Basit Shittu as Carbuckety; Calvin Rollins II as Quaxo; Patty Granville as Grizabella and Hamp Holcomb as Gus the Theatre Cat.

The ensemble includes: Edward Treminio; Ivan Jones; Wendy Wilshire; Stephanie Dolph; Katey Gray; Kelsey Bassett; Shannon Walsh; Steve Beene; and Rachel Nicole Granville.

Special college credit in the form of scholarships, will be available through Richland College for anyone cast in the shows or wishing to do technical work behind the scenes. The Garland Summer Musicals are funded in part through special grants from the Garland Cultural Arts Commission, Inc., GSM Guild, Garland Power & Light, Micropac and Ecolab.

Both productions will be under the direction of Buff Shurr, and Patty Granville will be producer. Lighting is by Susan A. White and set design is by Kelly Cox. Set construction will be by Master Carpenter Joe Murdock and props will be by Lynn Mauldin. Costumes will be created by Michael Robinson and Suzi Shankle of The Dallas Costume Shoppe. Alan Hanna is stage manager and sound design is by Wes Weisheit. Technical director is David Webber. Assistant stage manager is Josh Hensley, technical intern is Sydney Scott, and assistant to the producer is Brenda Rozinsky. Musical Director for *CATS* will be Mark Mullino, with Paula Morelan as choreographer.

SUMMER THEATRE CAMPS IN GARLAND

Dallas Young Artists

The 5th annual DYA Summer Musical Theatre Camp is scheduled for June 13 through July 1 and is open to young actors who have completed third through 12th grades. Camp cost is \$550, and camp sessions are Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Granville Arts Center, Fifth and Austin Streets in downtown Garland.

The camp is designed to bring youth instruction in acting, vocal production, and movement, as well as workshops in set design, make-up, playwriting and audition skills. The camp will culminate in a performance of *The Wizard of Oz* on July 1 and 2 at 7:30 p.m., and July 2 and 3 at 2:30 p.m. Space is limited. To register, call 972-205-2790. For information, visit www.dallasyoungartists.com.

Company of Rowlett Performers

The Company of Rowlett Performers (CORP) will host its summer camp July 18

through August 5, noon to 5 p.m. at the Plaza Theatre, 521 West State Street in downtown Garland. Camp is open to youth ages 5 through 18 years and fee is \$250.

Campers will audition the first two days for *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*, featuring songs from the classic film *Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory*.

Roald Dahl's timeless story of the world-famous candy man and his quest to find an heir is adapted by Tim McDonald and Leslie Bricusse, with score by Leslie Bricusse and Anthony Newley. Performances are: August 4 and 5 at 1 p.m.; August 6 at 7:30 p.m.; and August 7 at 2 p.m. Call 972-977-7710 for a camp application or download from the website at www.corptheatre.com.



www.GarlandArts.com

Visit regularly and keep up-to-date on the world of arts in Garland.

GCT Auditions for Upcoming Shows

Garland Civic Theatre (GCT) has scheduled auditions for two of its upcoming shows. Auditions will be held at the GCT offices, 108 North Sixth Street in downtown Garland. Appointments are required and can be made by calling 972-485-8884. Auditioners should bring a headshot and resume, but no experience is required. All the shows will be staged at the Granville Arts Center, Fifth and Austin Streets in downtown Garland.

Auditions for *Romeo and Juliet* by William Shakespeare are set for July 2 and 3, with rehearsals beginning on July 11. Roles are available for a variety of men and women, ages 18 to 65. The audition will consist of cold readings from the script. Kyle McClaran is directing this famous story of star-crossed lovers; production dates are

August 25 through September 17.

Auditions for the Children On Stage production of *The Mikado* will be held on June 4 and 5. Auditioners should bring sheet music and be prepared to sing 16 bars of a Broadway song and 16 bars of a ballad. *The Mikado* is a comic opera with music by Arthur Sullivan and libretto by W. S. Gilbert. Performances are set for Wednesday through Sunday, August 3 through 7.

Garland Civic Theatre is a member Texas Non-profit Theatres. Underwriters include Linda J. Braga, Dr. Lisa Garner, Dunn and Dill, and Garland Power & Light. Season sponsors include Garland Cultural Arts Commission and *The Dallas Morning News*. Visit the GCT website at www.garlandcivictheatre.org or call 972-485-8884 for additional information.

Garland Civic Theatre 2011-2012 Season

Romeo and Juliet
August 25 - September 17

Pillow Talk
October 6 - October 29

Broadway Musical
(to be announced in late summer)
November 17 - December 10

Death by Chocolate
January 19 - February 11

Love from a Stranger
March 1 - March 24

Ring of Fire
April 12 - May 5

Children On Stage

The Mikado
August 3 - August 7

Pollyanna
December 28 - December 30

Season Tickets Now Available
972-485-8884

www.garlandcivictheatre.org

DON'T MISS THE SHOW!

Plaza Theatre

521 West State Street

June 5 ~ 6 p.m.

An Evening Of Dance With Kiosh Monroe presented by Jabez Entertainment. Tickets are \$10 in advance and \$15 at the door. Tickets may be purchased at Goodwill Baptist Church and Happy Nia Dance Theatre Productions. For tickets or information call 214-607-2363 or 972-358-0210.



June 11 and 12 ~ 7 p.m

Dawn - A Love Story, presented by Epiphany DanceArts. Tickets may be purchased online at www.EpiphanyDanceArts.org for \$30. Use the discount code: PLAZA to save \$10 per ticket. In partnership with LeverageU, half of the ticket sales for the June 11 show will be donated to charity.



June 19 ~ 4 p.m.

Settling for Mr. or Ms. Right Now, presented by WJ Wiley Productions. Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. Call 972-741-6524 or send email to wjwileyproductions@yahoo.com. Tickets are also available for \$22 at brownpapertickets.com/event/169989.

June 25 ~ 7 p.m.

Bridgette Monroe's Playwright Showcase, presented by Jabez Entertainment. Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. For information, call 214-259-6052 or 972-896-6456.

July 2 ~ 7:30 p.m.

Mr. Paul Salos (Garland resident and America's Got Talent finalist) and his orchestra performing *Sinatra: The Man and His Music*, presented by The Garland Opry. Also on the program will be C. B. Luce of the Garland Opry performing patriotic songs. A VIP package, priced at \$30, includes Paul Salos' CDs, pictures, and a reservation in one of the first four rows of theater seating. The next five rows are special seating at \$20, and the remaining seats are \$15 each. For information and tickets, call 972-494-3835 or visit TheGarlandOpry.com.



July 8 and 9 ~ 7:30 p.m.

Disney's Alice in Wonderland, Jr., presented by Actors Anonymous Theatre Company. Tickets are \$8 kids/seniors and \$10 adults. Purchase online at www.thedramaqueens.com.

July 15 ~ 8 p.m.

The Devil is a LYA presented by Latoya "Lady T" Richardson and Bee FLY Entertainment. Tickets are \$25. Call 214-854-9291, visit the website at www.BeeFLYProject.com, or send email to info@beeFLYProject.com.

July 16 ~ 7 p.m.

Salon G.O.S.S.I.P., presented by Purple Rose Entertainment Group L.L.C. Tickets are \$22 in advance and \$25 day of show. For information, call 972-904-1825 or 972-746-0172, or log on to www.purpleroseent.com.

July 23 ~ 7:30 p.m.

Michael Hix, presented by The Garland Country Music Association. C B Luce of The Garland Opry will perform as well. Tickets are \$15 and all seating will be general admission with only the first row reserved for VIPs. Call 972-494-3835.



July 30 ~ 7 p.m.

A Man of All Seasons, presented by Tyler Productions Gospel Stage Plays. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Purchase tickets online at www.tylerproductionsgospelstageplays.org, or call 214-722-7566 for information.

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ART EXHIBITS AT THE GRANVILLE

During June and July, art exhibits will be on display at the Granville Arts Center, Fifth and Austin Streets in Downtown Garland. Viewing hours are Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and during performances. Call 972-205-2780.

FAITH Artists


FAITH Artists, dedicated to promoting God, will display their works June 2 through July 5. The exhibition will feature works from 13 regional artists in a variety of mediums and styles. Kendra Walden and Dawn Waters Baker, both of Garland, serve on the board of directors for FAITH Artists. Also showing art in the collection are Cindy Norris, Tom Banker, Mark Walden, David Broussard, Peg Rosenlund, Barbara Mason, Jim Hutchinson, Russ



Reed, Camille Riggs, Tempy Berg-Gilbert, Debbie Chiecchi Jackson and Lewis Feagins. For information, log onto www.faithartists.com or call 972-839-4031.

A Joyful Journey

May Beth Smith and John Hall enjoy their yearly collage and photography shows, this being their eleventh year at the Granville Arts Center. This exhibit will be on display from July 9 through August 1. Featured are photos of local friends, Christmas in Athens, Texas, Lady Bird Johnson's Wildflower Museum in Austin, the Dallas Arboretum, and various subjects in North Carolina and Oregon. As an added feature this year, the exhibit will also pictorially show Shirley Temple, Walt Disney, Marilyn Monroe and others.



WAZZUP AESOP, THE POSTMISTRESS, THE MUSIC OF SINATRA, AND PERSONS OF INTEREST AT THE GARLAND PUBLIC LIBRARIES

Nicholson Memorial Library System

Central Library
625 Austin Street
972-205-2517

North Garland Branch Library
3845 North Garland Avenue
972-205-2804

South Garland Branch Library
4845 Broadway Boulevard
972-205-3933

Walnut Creek Branch Library
3319 Edgewood Drive
972-205-2585

Senior Social Hour @ the Library


Events in the Senior Social Hour series are sponsored by the Friends of the Library and are free and open to anyone age 55 and older. No registration is required but seats fill up quickly. Doors open 30 minutes prior to show time. All programs take place at the Central Library, 625 Austin Street, in downtown Garland. For more information call 972-205-2502.

The Silver Serenade Chorale

On Saturday, June 4 at 2 p.m., the Silver Serenade Chorale will provide patrons with an afternoon of musical patriotism as they perform their *Salute to America* program. The Chorale, an adjunct group derived from the full Silver Serenader Choir, consists of approximately thirty singers, all over the age of fifty. Songs showcased in the program may include favorites such as *You're a Grand Old Flag*, *Yankee Doodle Dandy*, *America the Beautiful*, and *The Star-Spangled Banner*.

Paul Salos and the Music of Sinatra

Back by popular demand, Paul Salos will perform on Tuesday, July 19 at 2 p.m. Mr. Salos performed for the library's 2009 Adult Summer Reading Program to great acclaim, and has recently played to audiences in New York, Las Vegas, and Spain. Mr. Salos, a Garland resident and finalist on the 2008 season of America's Got Talent, will showcase a diverse selection of Frank Sinatra's greatest hits.



older. The Afternoon "Bored" Game Club will function as a drop-in event, at which patrons may play various types of board games from 2 to 5 p.m. Programs are scheduled for Tuesdays, June 21 and July 12.

Creative Kids Workshops

School-age children can join the Creative Kids Group at the South Garland Branch Library. The program features a different session each Tuesday, June 7 to July 26, from 2 to 3 p.m. At each session, children will learn a new creative skill and practice that skill with hands-on activities.

Children must be at least seven years old, and pre-registration is required. Registration is limited and kids may register for only two programs per month. Call 972-205-3933 for more information and to register.

Library to Honor Exceptional School Support for Summer Reading

The Nicholson Memorial Library System will again honor Garland's public and private schools with summer reading awards. These awards pay tribute to the connection between children's summer reading and their educational achievement.

The Nicholson Cup Award distinguishes the Garland area elementary school with the largest percentage of its student population registered for the Summer Reading Program. Walnut Glen Academy for Excellence has been awarded the Nicholson Cup for the past four consecutive years.

The Nicholson Participation Award highlights Garland area private schools that actively encourage participation by their students.

Summer Storytimes

Summer Storytimes are offered at all four Garland public library locations and run June 6 through July 29. Call your neighborhood library for specific schedules.

Adult Programs

Summer Reading Program for Adults


Summer reading is fun and beneficial for all ages, and the Nicholson Memorial Library System offers a Summer Reading Program designed just for adults. Anyone age 18 and older may participate in this year's program, *Grow Your Mind, Read!*, which runs June 5 through July 30.

Participation is easy. Simply pick up instructions and reading coupons at any Garland public library location. For every Young Adult or Adult book you read or listen to (magazines and newspapers do not count) you will earn one entry for drawings to win a Nook Color e-Reader or Barnes and Noble gift cards. Entries are unlimited, so the more you read, the higher your chances of winning a prize.

Prizes are donated by the Friends of the Nicholson Memorial Library System.

Special Events Accompany the Adult Reading Program at the Central Library

Events are free and open to the public. Call 972-205-2502 for information.




South Dallas Concert Choir

On Saturday, June 11 at 2 p.m., at the Central Library, the South Dallas Concert Choir will deliver an hour-long a capella performance of Negro Spiritual music. This community-based choir originally began as a workshop choir at the South Dallas Cultural Center and has grown to include over thirty members who live throughout the metroplex.

Persons of Interest

At the Central Library on Thursday, June 30 at 7 p.m., *Persons of Interest*, an improvisational comedy troupe, will perform a one-hour comedy show, based in part on audience input and suggestions. Part of the Alternative Comedy Theater organization of Dallas, *Persons of Interest* is composed of experienced comedians and actors and has participated in comedy festivals throughout the country.



Dallas Banjo Band

On Saturday, July 9 at 2 p.m., the Dallas Banjo Band will entertain audiences at the Central Library with a variety of

musical stylings, such as showtunes, patriotic songs, and New-Orleans jazz music. The band consists of musicians from all walks of life aged nine to eighty-nine. The Dallas Banjo Band has performed for the Dallas Symphony Orchestra and the Garland Symphony Orchestra and has been featured on *Good Morning Texas*. They are also the only banjo band to ever be nominated for a Grammy.

Matt Tolentino

Join us on Tuesday, July 26, at 7 p.m. in the Central Library, for an evening of jazz provided by Dallas musician Matt Tolentino. Tolentino specializes in "old-time" jazz from the 1900-1935 period and performs at theatres and clubs in Dallas. He will deliver *Hot Jazz Sounds of the 1920s and 30s*.



Purposeful Eating: Free Seminar

On Thursday, June 9, at 2 p.m., the Nicholson Memorial Library System and Baylor Medical Center at Garland will co-sponsor a free health seminar at the South Garland Branch Library. Licensed dietician Susan Atwood will speak about healthy eating. Reservations are required; call 972-487-5444.

Page Turners

The Nicholson Memorial Library System's book discussion group, The Page Turners, meets monthly on the fourth Thursday at 7 p.m. at the Central Library. Come to participate or just to listen. Walk-ins are welcome. Call 972-205-2502 for more information.

On June 23, the group will discuss *The Postmistress*, by Sarah Blake. On July 28, the book for discussion will be *The Girl Who Played with Fire*, by Stieg Larsson.

Children's Programs

Summer Means Reading and Fun

Children, toddlers through age 12, are encouraged to participate in the library's Summer Reading Program, *Dig Up a Good Book*, which runs June 5 through July 30.

Register at the Children's Desk of any Garland library location. Registrants will receive a Reading Log to record the number of books they read or the number of hours of reading they complete each week. Prizes will be awarded to participants whose Reading Logs confirm they have read at least one book, or engaged in one hour of reading per week. Weekly prizes must be claimed by Saturday of each week. Children will receive a Reading Certificate when their log shows reading was completed during any four weeks of the program. For every ten books read or for every ten hours of reading, participants will receive an entry form for the Grand Prize Drawing at the end of the summer. For information, call 972-205-2517.

Special Performers for Children/Families

Special performers will entertain children and their families at the Central Library on Mondays at 2 p.m. Included will be puppet shows, yo-yo performances, storytelling, mad science exhibits, clowns, and magic shows. Shows will also be available at the South Garland Branch on Wednesdays at 2 p.m. and Saturdays at 10:30 a.m., the Walnut Creek Branch on Thursdays at 2 p.m., and the North Garland Branch on Fridays at 3 p.m. Call your library for schedules.

Library Events for Children/Families

Pirate Scavenger Hunt

From June 5 through July 30, children can participate in a scavenger hunt featuring Petey the Pirate and Julie Child. Children, ages 2 to 12, may pick up a scavenger hunt sheet at the Children's desk at any Garland library. Clues will be posted at each library. Follow the clues and receive a prize!

Family Movie Nights

The Central Library will host two family movie nights during the summer. All ages are welcome to attend these events, set for Thursdays, June 16 and July 7 at 6 p.m. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m., and seating will be limited. A raffle prize will be awarded at the conclusion of the program. For more information, call 972-205-2517.

Afternoon "Bored" Game Club

The Central Library will host two gaming programs for patrons ages six and

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Times vary
Audubon Recreation Center
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For pricing, call Angie England, 972-278-2522. Contact Audubon Recreation Center for times at 972-205-3991 or arc@garlandtx.gov.




Football Fanatics
July 12 – August 2
Tuesdays, 2 – 3 p.m.
Ages 9 - 12 yrs
\$24 per child
Bradfield Recreation Center
Learn passing, catching, tackling, and route running techniques that can be used at all levels. Contact Bradfield Recreation Center for more information at 972-205-2770 or brc@garlandtx.gov.



Granger Foodies
June 16 or July 11
Ages 5 - 10 yrs
10 – 11:30 a.m.
\$10 per person
Granger Recreation Center
Take your favorite foods and lighten them up into more nutritional snacks. Learn safety tips and new recipes. Contact Granger Recreation Center for more information at 972-205-2771 or grc@garlandtx.gov.




Composting 101
June 11
10 – 11:30 a.m.
Ages 16 yrs and up
\$20 per person
Holford Recreation Center
Learn composting essentials and how worms recycle food scraps into rich, organic compost. Contact Holford Recreation Center for information at 972-205-2772 or hrc@garlandtx.gov.



Storytime FUN-tastic
June 7 – June 16
Tuesdays and Thursdays
3:30 – 4:15 p.m.
Ages 3 – 6 yrs
\$35 per child
Gale Fields Recreation Center
Join children’s author, Rosie Pova, as she reads her picture books in an interactive story time filled with games, activities, arts and crafts, and music. Contact Gale Fields Recreation Center for more information at 972-205-3090 or frc@garlandtx.gov.



Kung Fu Warrior Camp
June 14 – June 17
Ages 6 – 12 yrs
\$55 per person
Hollabaugh Recreation Center
Perform the five basic animal styles of Kung Fu; learn the correct execution of kicking, punching, and stance techniques. Contact Hollabaugh Recreation Center for information at 972-205-2721 or hhrc@garlandtx.gov.



Juneteenth Celebration
Saturday, June 11
4 – 8 p.m.
Gale Fields Recreation Center
All ages enjoy free live music, games, and food while you celebrate with friends and family. Watch past Garland basketball legends battle it out on the court, then test your skills in a 3-point shootout. For more information, contact Gale Fields Recreation Center, 972-205-3090 or frc@garlandtx.gov.



Lawnchair Theater
Holford Park ~ Friday, June 17
Central Park ~ Friday, July 8
Hollabaugh Park ~ Friday, July 15
We are turning the park into a theater. Watch free family-friendly films with friends and neighbors! Bring a lawn chair or blanket. Movies begin around 8:30 p.m. For more information, contact Holford Recreation Center, 972-205-2772 or hrc@garlandtx.gov.



Bradfield Recreation Center Renovation
The newly renovated Bradfield Recreation Center will re-open in early June. The building has a new covered entrance, an enlarged lobby, new interior walls and lighting, a new gym floor, and a room specifically designed for youth. A public open house is set for June 4 at 10 a.m.

Tropical Costa Rica
With lush forests and stunning waterfalls, rumbling volcanoes and endless coastlines, Costa Rica is a slice of paradise. Join a group of vibrant seniors for nine days of tropical bliss, February 18 - 26, 2012. Cost is \$2,609 double/per person or \$3,059 single and includes airfare, 14 meals, five-star hotels and resorts, a professional tour manager, and most tours. Final date to register is September 5, 2011, and a \$425 deposit is required.

Safety, Wellness Fair
The Garland Senior Activity Center will host a Health, Safety and Wellness Fair on Thursday, June 16, 9 a.m to 12:30 p.m. Health and wellness screenings will be offered, along with information about assistance services available for older adults in Garland. The center’s goal is to educate and influence people to prevent accidental injury and death, reduce senior falls and wipe out accidental prescription overdose. Giveaways, door prizes and refreshments will make the fair a fun and beneficial event.


Pools Open!
Surf and Swim is open daily June 4 through August 21 and weekends through Labor Day. Bradfield Pool, Holford Pool and Wynne Pool are open daily from June 4 to August 14. Surf and Swim offers sun, shade, and seating, plus tasty food at the Chill and Grill café. Inner tubes are provided free for riding the waves, and Wally’s Cove furnishes toddlers with sprays, dumping buckets, and interactive squirting features. Surf and Swim is open daily 10:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Fridays until 8 p.m. For information about birthday party packages, special events, and movie nights, visit www.surfandswim.org.



june

sunday	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday
			1	2	3	4 Offsite Pet Adoptions 3136 S. Shiloh Rd. Senior Social Hour at the Library
5	6 Summer Nutrition Program Begins	7	8	9	10	11 "Dawn - A Love Story" at the Plaza Theatre
12	13	14 Flag Day	15	16	17	18
"Dawn - A Love Story" at the Plaza Theatre	Plan Commission			Health, Safety & Wellness Fair Garland Senior Activity Center	Vehicle Auction City Impound Lot	
19 Father's Day	20	21 Summer Begins	22	23	24	25 Bridgette Monroe's Playwright Showcase at the Plaza Theatre
"Settling for Mr. or Ms. Right Now" at the Plaza Theatre "The Music Man" at the Granville Arts Center	City Council Work Session	City Council Meeting		The Page Turners at the Library	Garland Summer Musicals Presents "The Music Man" at the Granville Arts Center	
26	27	28	29	30		
"The Music Man" at the Granville Arts Center	Plan Commission			Mayor's Evening Out Audubon Rec Center	FAITH Artists at the Granville Arts Center June 2 - July 5	

july

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					1	2 Offsite Pet Adoptions 3136 S. Shiloh Rd. Paul Salos performs Sinatra at the Plaza Theatre
3	4 City Offices Closed INDEPENDENCE DAY	5	6	7	8	9
"The Wizard of Oz" at the Arts Center		City Council Work Session City Council Meeting				
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Plan Commission CGTV ~ 7 p.m.				Vehicle Auction City Impound Lot	
17	18	19 Senior Social Hour at the Central Library	20	21	22	23
	City Council Work Session	City Council Meeting			BeeFLY Entertainment Presents "The Devil is a LYA" at the Plaza Theatre	Purple Rose Entertainment Presents "Salon G.O.S.S.I.P." at the Plaza Theatre
24 "CATS" at the Arts Center	25	26	27	28	29	30
"CATS" at the Arts Center	Plan Commission CGTV ~ 7 p.m.			Mayor's Evening In Page Turners at the Central Library		CCMA Presents Michael Hix at the Plaza Theatre
31						Tyler Productions Presents "A Man of All Seasons" at the Plaza Theatre Pet Registration/Vaccination at the Animal Shelter
					Garland Summer Musicals Presents "CATS" at the Arts Center	